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Flames Wipe Out NAR Agent's Family

Renovations Underway At Local Curling Rink

LAC LA BICHE — Renovations are underway at the curling rink. The tin roofing has been removed on the main section of 32 feet and plywood is in the process of being put on. The tin will then be replaced. Ventilators will be installed by the contractor, Abe Sharon, who is doing the work. Earlier in the season the waiting room was finished off with fir plywood.

The committee, of which F. W. McMillan is president and Jack Olstead, secretary, is confident that the improvements will add much to the comfort and enjoyment of curling enthusiasts when the season for this popular sport arrives.

United Ladies' Aid To Hold Show, Sale

RICH LAKE — The regular meeting of the United Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Anna Kari with 13 members present.

The main business consisted of plans for a supper, sale of goods and show on Nov. 21.

Mrs. Kari was presented with a gift and birthday cake from the group, in honor of her 70th birthday.

A shower of baby clothes was presented to another member, Mrs. Betty Whelen.

Mary Kachur Bride Of Frank Petrosky

FRAINS — In a pretty wedding ceremony Miss Mary Kachur became the bride of Mr. Frank Petroski.

The bridesmaids were Miss Alexandra Kachur, sister of the bride, and Miss Diane Urdiga.

Best men were Mr. Petroski, brother of the groom, and Mrs. John Urdiga.

Following the wedding a reception was held. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts and a large amount of cash.

In the evening guests enjoyed dancing to the Golden Five of Edmonton.

Popular Couple Honored At Party

FRAINS — A shower party was held in honor of John Hussynec and Petronilla Zapisocki recently.

An amount of over $50 was collected. Lunch was served later in the evening and was immediately followed by separate speeches from the honored pair.

Music was supplied by Rae Kolack, Billy Rosa and Casey Hrycun.

Gourin

A large number of local persons attended the car bingo held in Plamondon recently.

Annette Favennee was home for the weekend.

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Boulanger for the wedding of their daughter Isabelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ulliac made a business trip to Edmonton recently. Mr. Wolfe was also a city visitor.

Roland Ulliac has gone to Edmonton to seek employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Ulliac were weekend visitors in the district.

HIT PARADE stars Wally Koster (top) and Joyce Hahn (centre) will alternate weekly with Jack Kane and Sylvia Murphy to present Music '60, CBC-TV's biggest musical show this season. Wally and Joyce will concentrate on songs on the Hit Parade and Jack and Sylvia will present the 'big band' sound on the Jack Kane Hour. Music og '60 is seen each Monday on the CBC-TV network.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lozinski Honored On Silver Wedding Anniversary

HYLO—A silver wedding anniversary celebration was held in the Hylo Hall on Saturday, Oct. 24, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lozinski. Over 120 relatives and friends assembled to extend their best wishes to the honored couple.

Born at San Phylips, Sask., on March 20, 1910, Walter Lozenski came to Hylo in 1929 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lozinski. Here Walter homesteaded and assisted in building district roads and trails for the government during the depression.

Mrs. Lozinski, nee Miss Eva Keehn, was born at Lemmon, S. Dakota, July 20, 1910, and came to Hylo in 1930, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keehn, both of whom are deceased. Prior to marriage, Mrs. Lozinski worked at Lamont Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lozinski were married on Oct. 22, 1934. They have three children. Sherril, the eldest, was married this spring to Johnny Verboom and they reside in Edmonton. Dave attends senior high school at Lac la Biche and Debby attends Hylo school. All were present for the happy occasion.

A platform rocker and a silver casserole dish were presented by relatives and friends and Mr. and Mrs. Lozinski thanked everyone for the gifts and the celebration.

Mrs. Lozinski, dressed in a dusty rose lacy nylon sheath dress with jacket to match, and wearing a corsage of white roses and lilies-of-the-valley, gave an interesting speech of appreciation.

Master-of-ceremonies was Carl Heehan and organizers were Mrs. M. Owchar and Mrs. L. Marchasi. After refreshments were served, music was supplied by Albert Michetti, Ray Meardi, Bob Grandish and Alan Laminski for dancing enjoyment. The hall was decorated with pink and white streamers and white carnations.

A lunch was served, highlighted by a wedding-cake supplied by their daughter, Mrs. J. Verboom, and in conclusion a number of pictures were taken.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Verboom, Andy Lozinski, Miss Hazel Rocgio, Miss Audrey Lozinski, Alan Laminski, Miss Carole Keehn and Miss Magrane, all of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. W. Inkster, A. Shurrmacher, of Lac la Biche; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hinson, and Mr. Mrs. Harold Hanson of Noral; Mr. and Mrs. S. Giacobbo of Venice.

Atmore

Roland Vincent, former owner of the Atmore General Store and now residing in Edmonton, is reported ill in an Edmonton hospital. He underwent surgery last week and last reports are that he has improved somewhat.

William Chernachin and his assistant of Lac la Biche have been digging a well at the Ross Tucker home here.

Mrs. Jack Campbell has been helping out in the management of the Atmore Cafe during the illness of Margaret Bourassa. Margaret has been an arthritis patient in the Lac la Biche hospital. She is running the Atmore Cafe now, with the help of her father.

Jacqueline Bossel spent Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Genodd here.

Sandy Karpetz, formerly of Charron, has been staying at his new home here and supervising the building of his huge new store.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Tucker were business visitors at Plamondon last week.

A shower was held in the old Gourin School in honor of Miss Isabel Boulanger last week.

Wandering River

Anton Karpetz has returned to Edmonton after spending a few weeks here.

Many people from the district attended the show, The Ten Commandments, which was showing last week in Lac la Biche.

Rich Lake

Murray Ross is a patient in St. Catherine's hospital, Lac la Biche. Mrs. Johnny Hogetveit was in the hospital a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Palkan are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Passenger Collides With Freight, Fireman Dies, 4 Others Injured

A Carbondale family of three was wiped out by flames Tuesday as a southbound Northern Alberta Railway passenger train collided head-on with a northbound freight.

The station agent at Carbondale, 20 miles north of Edmonton, Arthur Fraser, his wife Alice, and their son Kelly, 18, died in a raging inferno as fuel oil from a ruptured tank car on the freight train spread over the tiny frame station.

Dead also is NAR fireman Bert Villeneuve. Crews worked several hours on the buckler cab to free Villeneuve's body from the passenger locomotive.

NAR officials said the passenger train left McLennan about midnight and that the freight was bound for Dawson Creek when the mishap occurred about 8 a.m.

There were 25 passengers on the train which included four baggage cars, a sleeping car and a day coach. Described as the worst wreck in the history of the railway which is operated jointly by the CNR and CPR, the cause of the crash has not yet been determined.

Witnesses say that usually the two trains pass in the vicinity of of Carbondale and that the freight train usually waits for the passenger on a siding north of Carbondale. At the time of the accident it was standing at the station.

Four persons were injured in the wreck: John Chrunyk, news agent; I. T. McLeod, engineer; Joseph Gillion, and Ole Finstad of Hondo, Alberta.

Edmonton firemen and crews from the RCAF station at Namao used chemical foam to douse the flames.

Lac la Biche Team Defeats Grassland

Since school has begun, football fans and players of Lac la Biche high school have been enjoying themselves with games during recesses and lunch hours.

On October 30 a group of boys motored to Grassland where they emerged victors by a score of 14-0 in the game with Grassland. Taking part from Lac la Biche were: centre, Orville Franchuk; guards, Larry Meardi, Arnold Michetti; tackle, Gordon McCormick, Richard Hayduk; end, Eugene Lobay, Marshall Waschuk; back, David Lozinski, Julius Owchar, John Bereza, Eugene Lobay, Paul Torresan, Jim McCormick, Jim McMillan, Peter Shewchuk. Manager is H. Senetza and coach, Nick Chodin.

On behalf of the team John Bereza, boy's sports convener, wishes to express sincere thanks to Mr. Senetza, Mr. Chodin and T. Pawlick for taking the boys to—Grassland and also to Grassland for for providing such an enjoyable afternoon for the team.

Prizes Awarded At Masquerade Dance

FRAINS — Many teens attended the masquerade dance at Grassland on Friday, Oct. 30.

Prizes for the best-dressed went out to: Jerry Derke, first, gorilla; Gail Karpetz, second, Sir Winston Churchill; and Tommy Murowchuk. third, an Indian squaw.

Music was provided by Thorhild's Rocky Ramblers.

Just Following Doctor's Orders

A nervous looking man went into a store and sat down. After he had sat there for quite a time a clerk came up and asked if there was anything he could do; the man replied that he didn't want anything. "I just want to sit around," he explained. "My doctor has recommended quiet for me and says above all things I should avoid being in a crowd. Noticing that you do not advertise, I thought this would be as quiet a place as I could find, so I just dropped in to follow my doctor's orders."

Mrs. C. Kumpula Clinic Chairman

RICH LAKE — The United Ladies' Aid is in charge of the free mobile chest X-ray which is expected to be in Rich Lake about Nov. 24. This is a tentative date since all the white registration cards have not been returned.

General chairman is Mrs. Carmen Kumpula; Mrs. Florence Mulyk, clinical appointment chairman; Mrs. Lily Waine, publicity chairman; volunteer help the day of the clinic, Mrs. Mary Onciul and Mrs. Ethel Farvolden.

Lac la Biche

J. Booker is currently attending the forestry school at Kananaskis.

Leo Gargus has returned from a couple of weeks holiday spent with relatives and friends at Andrew, Smoky Lake and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Parent, Edmonton, were recent guests of the former's brother Francis and family.

Collette Langevin, who is employed in Edmonton, spent the weekend at her home here recently.

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Boyle Bridge Club Opens New Season

The bridge season opened at Mrs. Paul Andruski's home in the middle of October and winners to date are Mrs. Anne Semeniuk first and Mrs. Smith consolation. At Mr. Derko's home Mrs. Kay Bayda received first and Mrs. Elise Smith consolation.

First was won by Mrs. Anne Andruski and consolation by Mrs. Anne Semeniuk at Mrs. Betty Beaton's home. The following session was held at Mrs. Ena McNamara's home.

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Edwin Hutzal, Medal Winner, Receives Awards At HSA Meet

BOYLE—On the evening of Nov. 2 a large crowd attended the Home and School meeting at the Boyle school for presentation of the governor-general's medal to Edwin Hutzal, who received highest honors standing in grade 9 for the county. Presentation was made by M. G. Gault, superintendent of school for county of Athabasca.

Mrs. Dorish presented the Home and School Association awards to Holvar Jonson who attained highest honors standing in Grade 12. The award was accepted by Mrs. Jonson as Holvar is attending the University of Alberta and was unable to be present.

P. R. Andruski presented the Home and School Association awards to Edwin Hutzal. Bob Rembley, on behalf of the county, presented the honors pin to Edwin.

In conclusion Mr. Gault gave a short address on the importance of favorable relations among the home, community and the school.

Donna Raaflaub Feted At Party

BOYLE — Mrs. Norman Hayton Jr. gave a shower for Donna Raaflaub recently, with 12 guests present.

Numerous games were played during the evening. The guest of honor received many beautiful gifts.

Lunch was served at the close of a delightful evening.

Thieves Again Enter Boyle Co-operative

Sometime during the night of Nov. 4 the Boyle Co-op was robbed for the second time this year.

The thieves carried away two radios, a typewriter, a parka, and a quantity of cigarettes, and a small amount of cash.

A crowbar was used to open the front door.

Police have been investigating but no leads have yet been reported.

Temptation may be strong, but it seldom overtakes the man who runs from it.

Anderson Speaks At FUA Meeting

BOYLE — A Farmers' Union meeting was held the evening of Oct. 28 at the Veteran's Hall, with only seven members present.

Clare Anderson, the guest speaker, talked about deficiency payments to the farmers.

Ellscott

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hauer of Bruderheim were recent weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Herrmann.

Grace and George Klem and Roy Tchir of Edmonton spent a recent weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Klem.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Herrmann are the proud grandparents of a baby boy, Glen, born to Mr. and Mrs. Egon Herrmann of Bruderheim on October 24.

Alec Luba sustained a crushed hand while at work.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Madden became the grandparents of their first grandson when a boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gramiak of Paust on October 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Splane of Edmonton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Splane.

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Work crews have been in town some time constructing an annex for the Alberta Pacific grain elevator. Work on the liquor vendor's store is processing rapidly.

After spending two weeks with his sister and family here Pat Robinson has returned to Calgary to receive instructions from National Geophysical as to where his next work will take him.

Mr. and Mrs Larry Pickford and girls spent a week in town with the former's parents.

At the Hallowe'en dance Dianne Smolarchuk was the lucky winner of the $10. treasure chest.

Boyle

The Boyle high school football team beat the Athabasca team 38 to 12 Sunday afternoon, Nov. 1, at Boyle.

A large crowd attended the Hallowe'en dance sponsored by the baseball club. Bill Choma's orchestra from Edmonton furnished the music.

Gilbert Ellefson, Harold Brooks and Trueman Lund left on a hunting trip to Nordegg the evening of Nov. 1.

Spruce Valley

Mrs. Mykityshyn and son Walter of Edmonton visited at their farm here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Homeniuk were in Edmonton last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Koltowski and Sylvia of Edmonton were weekend visitors at their farm here.

Emil Zilinski of Edmonton spent a few days at his farm here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zuber of Boyle were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Zilinski and family recently.

Mr. Gizitski is home from Fort Smith where he was employed all summer.

Polygamy in Tibet is dictated by economics, not romance. The World Book Encyclopedia says a Tibetan woman frequently marries several men, who work together to support the family.

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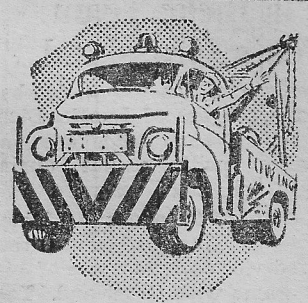
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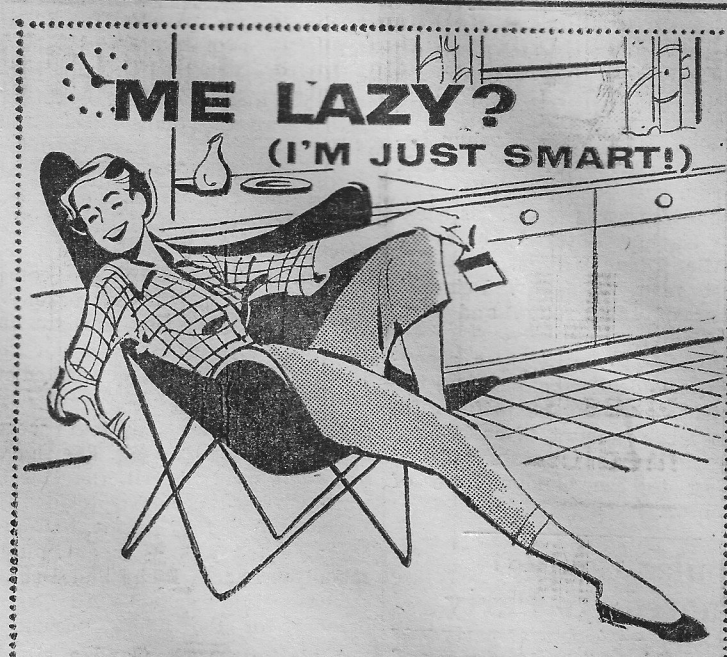

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E. J. Woynarowich Named Committee Chairman In Charge Of TB Survey

LAC LA BICHE — E. J. Woynarowich was chosen general chairman of the committee in charge of the community survey for the mobile TB chest X-ray unit coming soon to the district. A house-to-house canvass will be made to register every family in the district. Everyone is urged to attend this clinic. The province is all free and 100 persons can be X-rayed each hour.

Sponsored locally by the WI. other officers in charge of the TB chest X-ray program are: advance registration chairman, Mrs. Steve Hamar; clinic appointment chairman, Mrs. A. Gatzke; publicity chairman, Mrs. F. D. Creighton; volunteer help chairman, Mrs. W. Coast.

The area to be covered in the survey will be the town of Lac la Biche and surrounding district.

During 1958, 227 clinics operated by the division of tuberculosis control at nine centres conducted 22,496 examinations. Mobile x-ray units x-rayed 181,862 persons, bringing the grand total to 1,433,547.

It is aimed by the mobile x-ray units to x-ray the entire population periodically to discover unknown cases of tuberculosis.

Alberta tuberculosis program is well advanced by comparison with any other province. Provided by the government, the treatment of tuberculosis is free to all bona fide residents. In Canada, it is beyond question that the voluntary associations have much to do with the fight against TB. The Alberta Tuberculosis Association is an auxiliary body supplementing the work being done by the government and in assisting the department of health in many ways, is financed exclusively through the sale of Christmas seals.

The Association's policy and program is devoted to the ultimate eradication of tuberculosis. First by prevention through an extensive educational program for the public, then for early diagnosis, after which the attempt to help the discharged patients find a place in the community and become self-sufficient again.

The fight against tuberculosis is not only a doctor's affair, it belongs to all the people. Contrary to the impression in some quarters, the battle against the disease is not yet over. It is true that, as a result of advance in science, there are fewer deaths, but also as a result of intensive case-finding methods, there are more receiving treatment than ever before. Tuberculosis can and will be wiped out, and possibly in our generation, if we all do our part.

Caslan

Metro Krawchuk has been visiting relatives in the district recently.

The gravelling on the road between Bondiss and Caslan is completed. A survey group has been working between this point and Lac la Biche for the continuation of this road.

Mrs. Nick Wolansky was a recent visitor to Edmonton.

Bill Wolansky has been let off the Boyle section, and Nick Cherniwchan, Paul Kuraitis and Bill Giblak from the Caslan section for the winter months.

Felix Larocque has returned to an Edmonton hospital where he is a patient.

Alan Henson has gone to Edmonton to seek employment.

Russel Giblak of British Columbia is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Giblak.

Charlie Cardinal purchased the old teacherage and has moved it to his lot. William Skorchis has also moved his house to a lot on the north side of the railroad.

Rev. Mr. Coleman Addresses Group

BOYLE — A Hallowe'en party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Alexander, Oct. 31, attended by 12 young people.

Plans for organizing an AYPA were discussed, with election of officers to be held Nov. 12 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pelsma in Ellscott.

Rev. Mr. Meakin from Colinton and Rev. Mr. Coleman from the diocese of Amritsar, India, were present. Mr. Coleman gave an interesting talk on life in India and slides were shown.

At the close of a delightful evening lunch was served.

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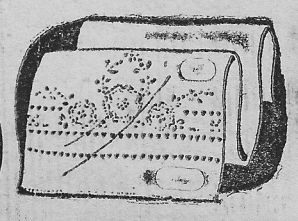

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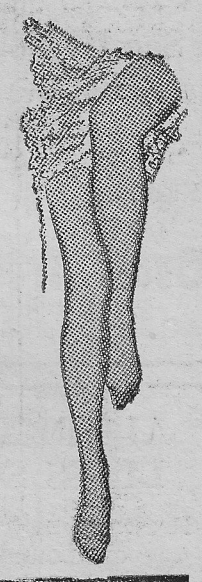

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Pirate Wins Prize At Costume Dance

BOYLE—The ladies' soft ball club held the masquerade dance Oct. 30 with a good crowd in attendance.

Winners of the best costumes were: Ena McNamara, pirate, and Louise Hansen, Indian, first prize for funniest; Mrs. Jessie Jellico, classic lady, and Donna Raadlaub, Hula Girl, first prize for the most original. Judges were Mrs. Enda Thompson, Mrs. Betty Beaton and Art Hanson.

Hallowe'en was quiet this year with only the little children making their rounds and chanting tricks or treats.

Spruce Valley

John Matoga has left for Vermilion to attend the fall agricultural course.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Maheden motored to Edmonton recently.

Rosalie Eleanore Kanarek attended the Hallowe'en party at Grassland school.

Edward Edwin Wolak celebrated his eighth birthday Oct. 31. Randolph Frank Flacka celebrated his fourth Nov. 2; Albert Maheden his fifth Nov. 2; Rosalie Eleanore her fifth Nov. 3.

Mike Swarin of Grassland was on a business trip recently to Stan Semash Kewich's home.

Ducks are still staying around the fields, mostly where there are ponds.

The Stan Kanarek family spent an evening at the Frank Flacka home recently.

George Wojtowicz has enlisted in the RCAF for a five-year term and is expected to leave Nov. 22.

Lawrence Rywak has been visiting Allen Zilinski.

Suzanne Semeniuk Crowned Queen; Contestants Sell $500 Tickets

BOYLE — October 23 was the climax for three contestants who had for one month sold tickets in order to become High School Harvest Queen.

The representatives were: Henriette Juse, Grade 10; Suzanne Semeniuk, Grade 11 and Karen Stromberg, Grade 12.

A harvest dance with music by the Rocky Mountain Ramblers was held in honor of the contestants. The girls were dressed in beautiful gowns for the occasion.

At midnight Donald Alexander, vice-president of the students' union and also master-of-ceremonies for the evening, announced that Suzanne Semeniuk was the winner. Diane Smoliarchuk, last term's Valentine Queen, crowned the queen. Suzanne was presented with a harvest queen sash, red roses and a beautiful gift.

The two losing candidates received white carnations and gifts for their efforts.

Winners of the door prizes were: Adelma Hartley of Bondiss, mantel radio; Jack Olsen, Calgary, carving set.

With the grand sum of $500 of ticket money, including expenses, the students' union has planned various expenditures. Library books, sports equipment, recreation, yearbook and a contribution to the home and school association are on the agenda.

FUA Notes

BOYLE—The vice-president of the Farmers' Union of Alberta, Clare Anderson, and his charming wife attended the FUA sub-district meeting held in Boyle Hall Oct. 28.

Much valuable information was gained by those present and it was regrettable that more farmers could not attend.

Children Enjoy Hallowe'en Party

BOYLE — A Hallowe'en party for the young children of the district was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Read.

Various games were played during the evening.

The fun-filled party was highlighted with a lunch.

Sadie Hawkins Day Held By Students

The Boyle Students' Union held its annual Sadie Hawkins Dance on Nov. 13. Music was provided by George Sauer and the Northern Ramblers.

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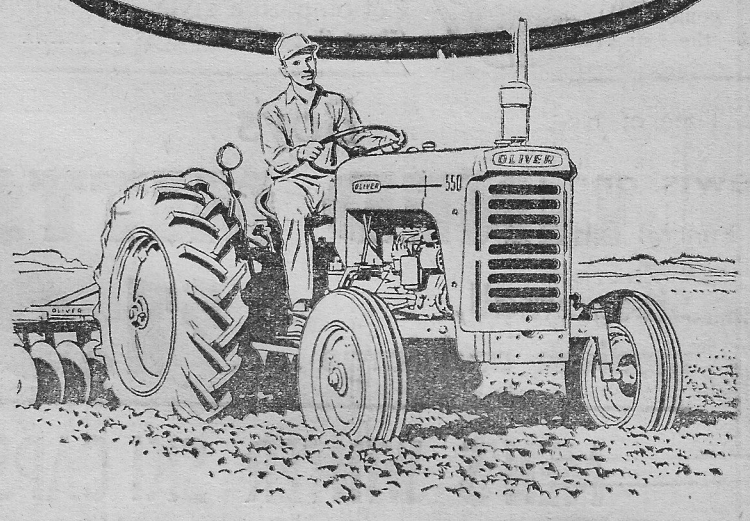
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STAIN REMOVAL CALLS FOR CARE

There is a right and a wrong way of dealing with stains on clothing. The right method can be effective, the wrong one disastrous.

Experts say that any spot is best removed when fresh. Don't give it a chance to set in the fabric. With washable clothes it's tempting to toss the soiled garment into the washing machine and hope for the best. But yield not to temptation: the heat and soap can set a stain rather than remove it. Make sure all spots have been sponged out before washing. Tie a knot in the soiled garment when it is placed in the hamper so you won't forget.

B. McCutcheon

Many fabrics have been ruined by certain stain removers, so the cleaning agent should always be tested on an inside seam where it won't show or on a scrap of the same fabric. If the fabric doesn't take kindly to home cleaning, send it off to the dry cleaner's for expert attention.

When removing a stain with a solvent, place the stained fabric wrong side up on a pad of soft cloth. This way the cleaner can be applied to the back of the cloth allowing the stain to be washed from the fabric without passing through it. Select a piece of fabric of similar color for applying the solvent. Use the cleaner sparingly and work quickly. It is better to apply the solvent several times rather than to leave it on for a long time. Blow lightly on the spot to dry it quickly.

All bleaches should be used according to the directions that come with them and should be tested on the fabric first to make sure that patterns and colors are not destroyed. Here's the best way of using commercial bleaches: stretch the stained material over a bowl of steaming hot water and moisten the stain with water. Apply the bleach one drop at a time and let stand a minute. Rinse thoroughly by pouring water through the fabric and finish by washing with soap and water. Make sure all the bleach is removed from the fabric for any which remains might rot the material or destroy the color.

Always sponge a spot — rubbing may injure the material and leave marks. Spread the cleaner around the stain as well as on it and work from the outside towards the centre so that a ring doesn't form.

If in doubt, don't try home remedies on stained clothes. It's the dry cleaners' business to clean clothes. Help him with stained garments by pinning a note on the stain stating what you think caused it. Then he will know what chemical to use.

WI Ladies Discuss Institute Problems

BOYLE—Last Thursday the president and a delegate from the Woman's Institutes in Newbrook, Abee and Meanook met with the WI ladies and the constituency.

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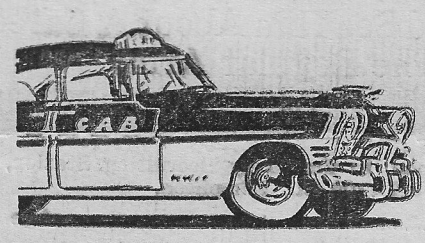

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Noral

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Grove and family, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. F. Woychuk and Metro, travelled to Lac la Biche to see the motion picture "Ten Commandments."

Sterling and Lorne Johnson motored to Edmonton recently to attend the car bingo.

Violet Anderson is now employed at baby sitting in an Edmonton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Toupilat visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hanson recently.

Some farmers finished their threshing last week.

Sterling Johnson is now on a threeweek holiday from the railway and is helping Ed Weinzeirl thresh his grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Henson travelled to Edmonton to attend the funeral of A. Merkel who passed away recently.

A crew is busy surveying a new highway to be built in the near future between Caslan and Lac la Biche.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Henson visited his parents over the past weekend. Fred Henson was also a guest.

District Nimrods who went big-game hunting recently returned empty handed due to a heavy fall of wet snow which froze and made hunting difficult.

Gourin

Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Charest on the birth of a girl.

Marie Rose Ulliac was home for the weekend.

A shower was held for Isabelle Boulanger and Andre Germain, whose wedding will take place soon.

A large crowd attended the Germain and Laheureux wedding held in Lac la Biche.

Baby In the News

BOYLE—Winny Annette were the names chosen for the daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Nikipelo in the Athabasca Hospital on Oct. 30.

LARRY HENDERSON, who has lectured twice in Edmonton on his recent trip to the Soviet Union, can't get a job with the CBC on the grounds that it does not want "stars." TV newscaster Henderson said he could have been taken on the regular news staff but with no guarantee that he would be doing newscasts.

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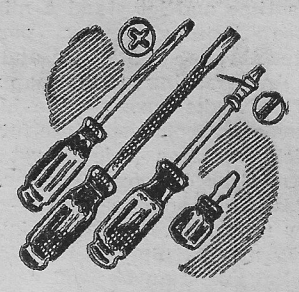

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Controlled Drinking Means You're the Boss

By HOWARD WHITMAN

PART 12

Concluding article in the 12-part series "Our Drinking Habits" by the nationally prominent writer on human affairs.

If a man went to a football game, jumped up and down in the stands and yelled his head off, you'd simply say, "Good fellow, he's having fun". But if the same man went to an empty stadium and did the same things — alone — you'd say there was something wrong.

Same way with drinking. When drinking is part of a social ceremony, an eating ceremony, or just plain camaraderie it is simply a part of our culture. But when someone holes up with a bottle all by himself and drinks at strange hours, there's something wrong.

A hundred scientists have tried to differentiate between the controlled drinker and the problem drinker. But there's no chemical difference, no physiological difference, and the amount they drink may have nothing to do with it. Many a controlled drinker can drink the alcoholic under the table.

The only real differences are: 1. Why they drink. 2. Their ability to take a few drinks and stop.

Howard Whitman

"Stop" doesn't mean going on the wagon. Most any problem drinker can do that—for a time. As the man said, "It's easy to stop drinking. I've done it hundreds of times." The thing that's tough is to keep on drinking — without drinking too much. This, once a man has become a full-blown alcoholic, he can never do. He has conditioned his mind and body to the point where one drink is a chemical trigger, setting off a chain reaction that is irreversible. He can never control his drinking. His only choice, if he wants to avoid uncontrollable alcoholic benders, is to abstain for life.

How can you tell whether a man (or woman) is a controlled drinker or a problem drinker?

The "Who's boss?" test is best. Is the man boss? Or is the drink boss? For example:

Two men set out to go to the theatre. One man stops at a bar and has a cocktail before the show. The other man stops at a bar, has a cocktail—and never gets to the show.

It Was the Boss

The second man actually wanted to get to that show. But the drink was boss. It said no. It said stay here and drink. And he obeyed.

When a men's drinking hurts his career, his marriage, his reputation—who's boss? When he desperately wishes he didn't have to drink, and drinks anyway, isn't it clear who's boss?

Drinking is supposed to be an added pleasure in life. "The normal drinker," says a report of the Alcoholism Research Foundation of Ontario, Canada, "is a person who uses alcoholic beverages moderately, as a condiment, to satisfy thirst, for their milder sedative effects, or in their occasional social use." If drinking brings not pleasure, but pain into life and still a man has no power to resist it—he's an alcoholic.

A 90-Day Test

The National Council on Alcoholism prescribes a 90-day test for controlled drinking:

"For a period of three months, at least, determine not to exceed a certain number of drinks whenever drinking. The number should be not more than three. But whether one, two, or three, the number must not be exeeded under any circumstances. Absolutely no exceptions, or the test is failed."

In 90 days you'll know who's boss.

Control over liquor doesn't collapse all at once. It collapses gradually. Here are some of the cracks in the wall:

—The individual begins to drink in order to meet challenging situations. He relies on bottled courage.

—At a social gathering he feels inwardly tied in knots, ill at ease, unable to make contact with others, until he's started drinking.

—He begins to drink to the point of regret. Time after time he feels like a heel for something he did or said under the influence.

Makes Problems

—His drinking begins to make problems. To escape from those problems—he drinks.

—He drinks at strange times, not only for conviviality when he's happy, but also all alone when he's sad.

—He stops bragging about how much he can drink, and starts lying about how much he does drink.

—He gets panicky at the thought of being without liquor.

"The moment I knew I was an alcholic, " one A.A. told me, " was when a friend of mine was opening a bottle of wine and got the cork stuck in the bottle. I got panicky. I sort of gasped, 'Get that cork out,' as if it were a matter of life and death."

Control is much easier in the early stages than later on. And many people could manage alcohol satisfactorily all their lives if they weren't pushed. The businessman feels he is "required" to have that cocktail at the business lunch. The man or woman at a party feels pressured into taking the proffered drink.

Feel Out of Step

"Why is it," asks Harold Demone, Massachusetts Commissioner on Alcoholism, "that if you don't take a drink you feel out of step ? In Italy, the country which handles its drinking best, you can turn down wine or liquor—if you don,t like it—as easily as you can turn down spinach."

The right to drink, for those who want to, has been established through bitter experience. Perhaps a new right needs attention: the right not to drink.

"Smith doesn't like alcohol," says a statement of the Manitoba Committee on Alcohol Education, in Canada. "But people are always insisting that he should drink.

They say, 'Ah, come on, just a little one' or 'If you don't like rye, I think there's some Scotch in the house.' They seem to think that his not drinking is an insult to those who do. At times he is openly accused of considering himself 'better than others.'"

Sometimes poor Smith walks around with a glass of plain soda just to protect himself. He feels like a square without a glass in his hand.

Pressure is Rough

For the benefit of Smith, as well as for the A.A. in the crowd, and for the man or woman who's trying to control the habit, no social gathering ought to pass the etiquette test unless a non-alcoholic drink is offered along with the others.

"The pressure's getting rough, "a businessman who is an A.A. told me. "I met one of my customers at the airport and he insisted on buying me a drink. And I mean insisted.

"I went to the bar with him and ordered a 'Presbyterian Cocktail.' The bartender knew what I wanted (plain ginger ale)—they know our code. But then the customer pipes up, 'Gee, that sounds swell I'll have one too!'"

A soberer pair never took off from LaGuardia. Distributed by (The Register and Tribune Syndicate)

IF DRINKING brings not pleasure, but pain into a life and still a person has no power to resist it—that person is an alcoholic.

Frains

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Sawchuk and girls of Powell River, B.C., visited friends and relatives in the district recently.

Andrew Kowalyk is back home after having been employed in Whitehorse, Yukon, for the past several months.

Dave Pusiarski was home during a recent weekend after having toured Mexico and several States. He brought home several beautiful sombreros as souvenirs.

Andy Letwin, Mrs. Stella Kopra and Larry of Hollow Lake visited the Kolack and P. Letwin homes lately.

Home for last weekend were Anne Nehrabinchyk, Rae Kolack, Mrs. Soph Shwetz, Minnie Shwetz, Olga Broda, Mike Kowalyk and Pauline Kolmatycki.

P. Letwin, Mrs. A. Kolack and family, visited relatives in Hollow Lake and Weasel Creek during the Hallowe'en weekend.

Home for the recent weekend were: Olga Broda, Mr. and Mrs. Sheremata, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clalupa, Johnny Hussynec and Pat Zapisocki, Rae Kolack, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kashuba, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hussynec, Minny Shwetz, Michael Kowalyk, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Pfau, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Plachner, Chopoidalo boys and the Nahorney family.

Miss Jean Shwetz is employed in the Co-op Store in Boyle.

October 31, Hallowe'en night, was spent quietly in the district.

Mrs. Vikki Kashuba spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Kolack recently.

Johnny Kowalyk spent several days in St. Catherine's hospital due to blood poisoning.

Sarrail

Recent visitors to Lamont were Mrs. Annie Hewko and Edward, Mrs. K. Nahrahbinch and John.

Ralph Trembly spent a week with his daughters in Edmonton.

Hank Arken was a weekend visitor at his grandmother's recently.

Many of the young and teenage boys enjoyed themselves on Hallowe'en night.

Bayview

A surprise birthday party was held in honor of Albin Stupak when many friends gathered for the occasion. After lunch served by Mrs Stupak, Mr. Stupak was presented with gifts.

Paul Malas left for British Columbia to join his wife who left here some time ago.

Mrs. Olga Shewchshen of Westlock is visiting her parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Luc.

South Hylo

James McDonald has returned home from his summer work at Whitehorse, Yukon.

Mrs. Betty Reid and son Lorne are guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Sawchuk.

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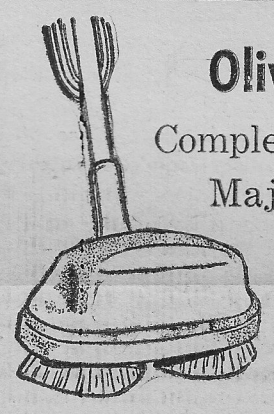

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"16. Opening Day offers by a new business for a period of not more than seven days, including date business commenced, shall not be considered a violation of Section 15 of this Regulation."

"17. Nothing in this Regulation applies to or affects prices or price discounts."

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Hylo

Weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Uoholski were their daughter Mrs. Fred Revega and Daniel of Newbrook and their son Paul of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Meardi have a construction crew working on their house.

Bill Lozinski and Mrs. Walter Lozinski were patients in the Lac la Biche hospital recently.

The grades 4, 5 and 6 under the supervision of Mrs. O. Meardi, and the junior high students under William Sachko's supervision, were taken by Dick Meardi in his bus to Lac la Biche on Monday to see the show "The Ten Commandments."

S. Barton, director of the ACWA visited the Hylo Co-op Directors Tuesday and enlightened them on a number of business items.

Paul Owchar returned from a business trip to Edmonton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin were weekend visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Waschuk.

Babies In The News

Noral—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wentzel are proud parents of a baby girl born in Lac la Biche Hospital Nov. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boucher are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby boy in Lac la Biche Hospital Oct. 30.

Venice

Miss Lucy Giacobbo of Edmonton is spending a few days holiday with her mother and family.

Ben Ferro has gone to Swan Hills in search of employment.

James Lefebvre is now employed at the power plant in Lac la Biche.

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This year's meeting place will be the Palliser Hotel, in Calgary, and the convention will conclude with a banquet and dance on the evening of the 21st.

The Liberal party suffered setback at the provincial election in June but members assembled at recent executive meetings reaffirmed conviction that the time draws near when Alberta voters will recognize the soundness of the practical and progressive programs advocated by the Liberal spokesmen. The Liberals, they say, are still Alberta's hope.

Party policy will be reviewed at the forthcoming convention and, accordingly, the resolutions and other committees will meet on November 20th, reporting to the convention on the following day.

The Alberta Liberal Women's Association and the Alberta Young Liberals' Association will hold meetings beginning at 11:00 a.m. on November 21st.

Grassland

Mrs. I. A. Sadownik was the winner of a consolation prize of $50. at the car bingo held at Plamondon recently.

A few farmers have finished threshing but most of them have about half the crop still in the field.

Ted Leshchyshyn has returned from Edmonton with repairs made to his car, recently damaged by fire.

Vice President Nixon is reported to consider "economics" the most important issue in 1960—for many folks it is the most important issue in 1959.

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Hold Up Judgment

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Th court reserved judgment on an appeal by the Crown against an acquittal in July by Magistrate Walter Dupre in city police court.

The Proctor and Gamble Company Limited had been charged with conducting and advertising a lottery. Magistrate Dupre ruled the offer was not a lottery as defined by the criminal code of Canada.

Charges were laid against the company here following a national promotion, originating in Toronto, which offered to pay $5 to persons who filled out a questionnaire and submitted it to the head office.

Effective Monday, November 10, the Canadian Wheat Board authorized a supplementary delivery quota of 5 bushels per seeded acre of soft white spring wheat. The extra quota was necessary to assure sufficient quantities of this type of wheat to meet mill requirements.

Three Honored At Birthday Supper

SOUTH HYLO — Friends and relatives wished Mrs. James McDonald Sr., Bella McDonald and little Teddy Guinand "Happy Birthday" recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Guinand.

A birthday supper was enjoyed by the guests.

A super de luxe tricycle was presented to Teddy by his grandfather, James McDonald Sr.

South Caslan

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Joe of this district have been visiting at the Bougue home in Philomena.

Nancy and Sera Fredricks of Edmonton were recent guests at the home of S. Cardinal.

Ben Cardinal returned recently from his employment.

Edgar Joe and Philip Whitford have gone to Edson to work during the winter.

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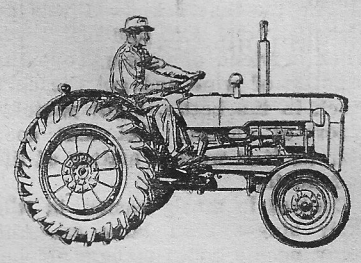
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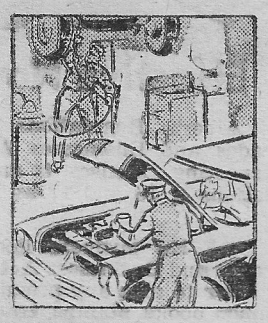
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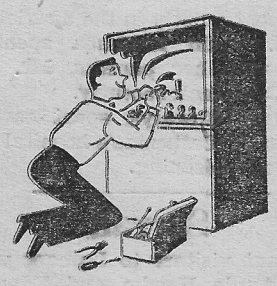
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